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PROHIBITIONISTS BADLY DE-FEATED.

Amendment Snowed Under By Fully Fifty Thousand.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 4 .-- All interest centered in the prohibition amendment and the campaign for and against its ratification was conducted with great vigor. Never in the history of Texas had such a canvass been waged. It was no party issue. The ablest men of both parties were arrayed against each other in the contest, and able men from abroad took part. The papers of the state discussed daily for and against until the people from one end to the other were thoroughly aroused. For months the question was discussed from every rostrum and platform in Texas until the alignment became sharply drawn and the tension exceedingly taut.

Between the pros and the antis each side was confident of victory to day. The result, however, has been a Waterloo to prohibitionists, as the returns thus far received indicate that the amendment has been defeated by a majority approximating 40,000. All the large towns gave majorities against it except Fort Worth which gave a majority of 198 for.

The election, while hotly contest ed throughout the state, passed off quietly, and the best order prevailed at the polls.

The 8 or 10 year old son of Chas. Wilson (a carpenter employed by P. P. Loeffler) met with a shocking accident last Monday evening about 6 o'clock. Finding a mysterious looking box, and curious to ascertain its contents he at once institut ed an investigation by opening out the contrivance with a batchet. The strang box was a fog torpedo (so the matter is explained to our reporter by Dr. Kimball,) and a fog torpedo is an article used in various railroad and marine work for giving signals. etc. The unfortunate boy received no signal from the torpedo in question, however, until he had fully closed his investigation-by which time the torpedo had very nearly closed his career. Striking the implement a forcible blow with his hatchet, it exploded and he received the entire contents in his face, which was horribly powder-burned. With rare good fortune, though, it is thought the boy's eyesight was not injured, and that he will pull through his firey experience all right .-- Rich Hill Review.

Indians Threatening.

Aitkin, Minn., Aug. 4.—One hundred Indians in their war paint camped near here this morning, determined to secure the release of the squaws arrested yesterday for committing depredations. The citizens near the camp were much alarmed and prepared for fight as serious trouble was feared.

Later in the day the squaws were released as the authorities were in awe of the bucks.

Couriers have arrived at Aitken from Willow river bearing the intelligence that the Indians are killing stock belonging to the settlers. Indian Agent Saeehan of Brainerd will be consulted and decisive measures taken to stop the outrages.

Major D. R. Anthonp, of the Leavenworth Times, has been whipped again. The Kansas people in Wash ington tell a story that Anthony at one time, becoming violently angry at his wife, attempted to pull her tongue out by the roots. As the means of getting the better of a scolding woman this system has the merit of strength, but the element of grace seems to be somehow lacking. -Philadelphia Record.

County Court Proceedings. FIRST DAY.

The following accounts were al- | Wm. Buzan, temporary relief lowed: W. F. Rosser, printing. G. W. Tucker, guarding jail, J. W. McVeigh, lime for jail. 1.00 Ed. T. Steele, supplies crt. James Smith, s.r. jenitor,

W. H. Jo., painting bridge signs, C. W. High sevices as stenographer.

Ellen Cain, support pauper, Sam Boyd, temporary support pauper, 12.00 Sarah Powell, keeping pauper, 22.50 Application of Fell & Turnbull for

license at Shobe, refused. P. H. McCoy, school loan \$240.00 P. H. Durland, dramshop license granted to run dramshop at Hume.

SECOND DAY.

Accounts allowed: Mary Hall, sup. poor farm. 💈 233.00 N. A. Wade, printing. 28.25 Jewett & Hickman, coffins pauper, 23.10 M. L. Wolfe, bal. ser. as bridge Com.

A. E. Brann, rep. chain crt. house. Mary E. Elledge, keeping pauper,

Pyle & Crumley, supplies court house. Bennett Wheeler & Co. mdse

poor farm, A L. McBride, mdse for sheriff, S. S. Reese, assessing Walnut township.

W. W. Hill, digging pauper grave, H. Mallett, ser janitor cir. court.

L. J. Donohoe, wolf scalf, 1.50 Warrants ordered cancelled for Treasurer: 82.95 Salary fund, 164.64 Contingent fund, Election & Jury fund, 1.65. 13.75 Pauper Prairie City R. R. sinking

5.20 fund. Prairie City R. R. Int fund, 18.95 Mt Pleasant R. R. warrant. 172.31 " coupons, 2,391.00 Common school fund. 936.45

100.00 Twp. No. 9, 14, 150.00 29. 150.00 1,000.00

Swamp land patent granted to Frank P. Lee for lots 5 and 6, N. E. Sec. 2, Twp. 39, R. 33.

Appointment of C. A Denton as collector of back tax in Rich Hill, approved.

Bridge Com. ordered to advertise and let contract to repair bridge on Butler and Appleton road.

Collector's bond of Stewart Atcherson, Deepwater township, approved. & Elgert, A. E. Beatty at Rich Hill, shows the Bible to be a self-interand Thos. S. Hudson, in New Home township, and Fred Matti, at Papin-

THIRD DAY.

Accounts allowed:

Mrs. McHenry, sup pauper \$20.00 O. F. Renick, med. attendance

J. C. Hayes, criminal costs, Geo. G. Glazebrook, criminal costs. W. O. Jackson, criminal costs.

20.00 J. C. Hayes, 24.20J. D. Allen & Co., printing. Jno. Shields, support pauper Standard Pr. Co., ink, 7.25

Geo. D. Barnard & Co., stationery. 21.70C. Hight, stenographer, 20.00 D. W. Simpson, supplies office

John Hayes, statement of quarterly fees, approved. Ordered that Fell & Turnbull pay

cost incurred in case of L. W. Beck et al vs. Fell & Turnbull. E. S. Rice, inquest case \$45.46.

FOURTH DAY. Accounts allowed. pauper.

\$18.00 W. W. Eldridge, work for jail, 30.00 J. M. McKibben, mdse. poor farm, 16.35 Jno. C. Hayes, fees cir. clerk, 58.65 3.50 T. J. Harper, clerk's fee, 57.80 1.25 making tax books 629.67 J. N. Gil son, mair workhouse 1.00 Max Weiner, mdse poor farm, 5.50

> Asylum No. 1, support insane, 150.48 3.05 2 658.46. B. F. Howe, assessing Summit township, 23.47 9.00 Mrs. G. W. Patterson, sup-

> > port Jacob Stratton, 22.50 Clerk ordered to authorize state auditor to draw warrant in favor of Oscar Reeder, county Treasurer, for state school moneys.

Quarterly settlement of Oscar Reeder, approved. FIFTH DAY.

Dramshop license granted Al Ganz at Walnut, for 6 months. School loan to W. T. Heath, \$150.00 Geo. G. Glazebrook, 84.95 Jno. C. Hayes, criminal costs, 13.00 Patent ordered issued to Frederick J. Burns, assignee, M. D. Vindage,

35.30 N. E. Sec. 15, Twp. 40, R. 29. Dramshop petitions of the follow-15.05 ing parties examined and approved for 12 months: G. A. Heath & Co., J. M Jeffries, Henry Kaune, Geo. H. Todd, A. E. Beatty, W. B. Roley, J. 23.75 L. Keedy & Co., Chris. Schmidt, R. D. Jones, Randle Bros., Hughes & 5.50 Elgert.

Patent granted to W. S. Couch, 5.05 David E. Couch and Cora Lampton, as heirs of Jos. C. Couch, lot 6, Sec. 71.60 Twp. 39, R. 32.

SIXTH DAY. Accounts allowed. Wesfern Enterprise, printing, \$18.00 T. J. Boswell, conveying insane to asylum. R. & T. A. Ennis, mdse Co. 1.20 offices.

P. F. Thompson, school loan, 135.00 R. & T. A. Ennis, stationery, 41.75. Samuel Hale, support pauper T. J. Boswell, per diem and mileage Co. Judge, J. H. Sullens, per diem and

mileage Co. Judge, 41.80 Clark Wix, per diem and 36.30 mileage Co. Judge, G. Glazebrook, ret. on 1.00 warrant W. W. Hill digging pauper

Bridge Com. ordered to make estimate on repairs on two iron bridges on Mound branch, east of Butler.

Court adjourned to meet Sept. 19th, 1887.

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Leavenworth, Kansas, when the edi tor of the Times, who is a brother of Susan B. Anthony, is not cowhided on the public street. Mr. Anthony writes somewhat as Susan B. talks. _Philadelphia Record.

It is counted a dull summer in

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KID OXFORD TIE.

Notice of School Election.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in district i, township 40 and range 31, in Bates county Missouri, on August 9th, 1887, in the lower room in John Pyle's building, heretofore used as a school room, situated on the east site of Delaware Street between Dakota and Fort Scott streets, in Butler, Mo, at which election the qualified voters of said district will be asked to vote upon the proposition to borrow money and issue bonds therefor to the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars, for the purpose of putting in suitable heating apparatus in the weat side school building, fencing and improving the east side school building, building a new school house for the colored children of said district, and buying such furniture as may be required by ouying such furniture as may be required by said district; said bonds to run from five to twenty years, and such election to commence at 7 o'clock a. m.

W. G. ROSE, A. H. LAMB,

Clerk of School Board, President

Public Notice. Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the county clerk's office up to Friday, August 9th., 1887, to furnish Bates county with coal for the ensuing winter. The amount to be contracted for, 2000 bushels, distributed as follows: 400 bushels at county poor farm, 300 bushels at jall, and 1,300 bushels at court house in Butler. The coal must be of good merchantable quality, the contractor to give bond to be approved by court. All bids subject to approval or rejection of county court.

JOHN H. SULLENS. Judges

THOS. J. BOSWELL 5

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that letters of administration with the will annexed upon the estate of Subina Hiple, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, by the Bates county Probate Court, in Bates county, Missouri, bearing date the 20th day of July 1887, All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to him for allowance, within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of the publication in two years from the date of the publication of this notice, they will be forever barred. A. A CONARD.
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